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WASHINGTON NEWS.

How Rounds Outwitted Newspaper Reporters.

Pacific Railroad Affairs Discussed by the House.

It Also Reconsiders and Votes to Adjourn Over Holidays.

Story of Printing the Message.

WASHINGTON, December 19.—Public Printer Rounds is chuckling audibly at having defeated the plans of several enterprising correspondents to steal the president's message. Among the army of workmen employed at the government printing office there have always been some to whom a bribe of $50 or $100 for a piece of the message was a temptation too strong to be resisted. Mr. Hayes' last message was pirated by these means twenty-five hours before its delivery to congress. But Mr. Arthur is a clever politician. He knew that his first message was awaited with considerable interest by the country, curious to see what his recommendations would be. Perhaps he knew also that a certain New York journal had offered $1,000 for an exclusive copy of it. For this reason it was delivered to both houses of congress and the different press associations on manuscript.

This year it was determined to print it. Newspaper row immediately grew excited. Several enterprising correspondents swore they would have it or die. But they did neither. Mr. Rounds conferred with his chief clerk and the foreman of printing as to the best means of securing its safety. It was finally agreed that these three gentlemen, together with two clerks in the office, all of whom are practical printers, should set it up in the Record room after the employes had retired for the day. This they did for several hours each night, Mr. Rounds doing a fair share of the type-setting in addition to correcting the proof. The work was so well done that not a single error was visible in its twelve thousand words. Fourteen copies were taken, all of which were delivered to the president by Mr. Rounds himself the night prior to the assembling of congress. "The president was greatly pleased," said Rounds, who tells the story with great gusto, "and complimented me no less on the excellent character of the work than on the fact that I had outwitted the sharpest and shrewdest set of newsgatherers on the face of the inhabited globe."

Army Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, December 19.—New legislation recommended in the army appropriation bill as reported to the house by the appropriations committee is as follows: Under head of pay of army it provides for payment in addition to pay in line to 25 aids-de-camp instead of 37, as recommended by estimates. It also provides that on and after the first of July, 1883, the general of the army may have aids-de-camp selected from field officers of the line below the rank of colonel, who while so serving shall each receive fifty dollars per month additional pay; the lieutenant general may have two aids-de-camp, officers of the line, below the rank of lieutenant-colonel, and who shall receive $45 per month additional pay; a major-general may have two aides-de-camp, captains or first lieutenants of the line, who shall receive $35 per month additional pay; brigadier-generals may have one aid-de-camp, a first lieutenant of the line, who shall receive $30 per month additional pay; provided, however, that except the senior aid-de-camp of the general commanding the army no officer shall remain absent from his regiment on such duty for a longer period than three years.

Concerning retirements and brevet rank it has the following provisions: Provided that nothing contained in the act making appropriations for support of the army for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1883, shall be so construed as to prevent or restrict retirements from actual service in the army as authorized by the law in force at the date of the approval of the act; retirements under provisions of said act of June 30th, 1882, being in addition to those already provided by law; and provided, further, that officers of the army shall only be assigned to duty or command according to their brevet rank when actually engaged in hostilities.

Mining Decision.

WASHINGTON, December 19.—Secretary Teller has reversed the decision of the committee of the general land office in the case of W. H. Robinson and others against C. F. Mogger, which involves in question the issue of a patent to the latter on the mining claim known as the St. Louis lode, at Helena. The commissioner dismissed the adverse claim, but the secretary holds as the case is now pending in the United States court proceedings in the land office should be stayed.

Tariff on Metals.

WASHINGTON, December 19.—The committee on ways and means to-day fixed the rates on wire rope and iron strands the same as on iron or steel wire of the same gauge, three cents per pound, instead of the same rate as upon wire of which the rope was made. The rate on steel of any form not otherwise provided for was changed from three to three and one-half cents per pound. The committee will probably complete metals to-day.

Spencer's Mysterious Movements.

WASHINGTON, December 19.—The New York Times has the following from Washington: A gentleman who has just returned from a visit to New York, says that he saw ex-Senator Spencer there three times in as many consecutive days on Wall street, Fourteenth street and other public places, and on one occasion had a conversation with him. It is understood from statements repeatedly made that the government is in hot and eager pursuit of Mr. Spencer. It is known that detectives and others have been employed to find him. People are saying that as Mr. Spencer is accessible to newspaper reporters, the government might save money and be successful in its pursuit if it would turn the work over to some representative of the press. A few days ago there was published in the Times a statement made by Mr. George Bliss, in relation to Mr. Spencer's disappearance and the search for him. Mr. Bliss said that he was asked to allow Mr. Spencer to go by a person who, as he supposed, came from Mr. Spencer. It is now said by other gentlemen that this person who applied for Mr. Spencer's release was Mr. Wm. E. Chandler, secretary of the navy, who is associated with Mr. Spencer in mining ventures. Mr. Bliss said that after Mr Spencer's departure he sent to a friend in this city a letter, in which he gave the reasons for his disappearance. It may be that Mr. Chandler was the recipient, and is the custodian of this letter. Counsel for government received information this afternoon that Mr. Spencer had gone to Kingston, Ont., and in this way eluded those who are in pursuit of him.

Telegraph Bill.

WASHINGTON, December 19.—A bill was introduced in the house to-day by Joyce of Vermont and in the senate by Logan, which requires every telegraph and cable company to receive and forward the business of any other company, whether it relates to business of the company offering it or otherwise. It also makes it a misdemeanor for any other than the persons transmitting to send and examine the same.

Mexican War Pensions.

WASHINGTON, December 19.—The Mexican service pension bill agreed upon by the house pensions committee to-day gives eight dollars a month to soldiers of the Mexican, Black Hawk and Florida wars, who served not less than 30 days, and to widows the same.

Land Steals.

WASHINGTON, December 19.—On report of Special Agent Burke, the commissioner of the general land office to-day cancelled one hundred timber culture entries and 109 preemption filings, made in Douglass county, Dakota, by F. Lecock, as attorney, the same being fraudulent.

Congressional Proceedings.

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, December 19.—Mills, of Texas, offered a resolution inquiring of the postmaster general if letter carriers had been prohibited wearing overcoats, and if so by what authority.

Butterworth, of Ohio, reported the army appropriation bill.

The speaker laid before the house a number of requests for leaves of absence. Debate ensued and objections raised on all sides. Several were granted however. Whereupon Browne, of Indiana, said he had voted against holiday adjournment in good faith, but was now satisfied that what was transacted in the house yesterday was low comedy and an attempt to meet during the holidays would be a farce.

Finally, after a warm debate, the house, by a vote of 127 yeas, 101 nays, adopted a resolution for holiday recess from December 22d till January 3d.

Williams, of Wisconsin, chairman of the committee on foreign affairs, reported a joint resolution reciting that the government of France proposes establishing at Tunis a judicial system common to Christian nations, so that the courts in that country shall be fully opened for protection of citizens of the United States in their person and property rights, and authorizing the president to declare by proclamation that the right on the part of the United States and its citizens to claim extraterritorial jurisdiction within said territory of Tunis has ceased and will no longer be claimed or exercised. Passed.

Bills were introduced and referred:

By Dezendorf of Virginia, to prevent federal office holders interfering with freedom of elections.

By Hardenbergh, to prevent importations of adulterated teas.

By Cassidy of Nevada, to amend the anti-polygamy law.

Strait of Minnesota, from the committee on public lands, reported a bill to repeal laws allowing preemption of public lands. Referred.

Neal of Ohio, offered a resolution instructing the Garfield board of audit to report to the house a schedule of all items presented to and allowed by it. Adopted.

Anderson of Kansas offered a resolution calling on the secretary of the interior for information respecting withdrawal of lands in favor of the Leavenworth, Pawnee & Western railroad company. Referred.

The house then went in committee of the whole, Calkins of Indiana in the chair, on the postoffice appropriation bill, the pending amendment being that offered by Robeson of New Jersey, providing that railroad companies which have received bond subsidies in addition to grants of public lands shall receive as compensation for carrying mail fifty per cent. the amount now allowed by law for that service.

Robeson explained that his amendment was intended as an amendment to the charter of those railroads declaring legislative intention. It did not reduce it only to fifty per cent. and when that reduction was made those roads would still have more compensation than any other railroads in the country. This legislation was necessary in order that the question whether congress has or has not control over this matter should be brought fully to the test of judicial decision and settled for the present and future.

Caswell of Wisconsin opposed the amendment as being in conflict with rights which some of the railroads had been granted. Congress could not invade vested rights. He would not talk about the merits of the question, but would not give his consent to a proposition which he conceived to be in plain violation of the rights of corporations. If this amendment should be adopted it would fall short of the purpose intended by its author. It would not affect the Union Pacific or the Central Pacific in the slightest degree, and these were the great corporations at which it was aimed, but it would be effectual against any other smaller land grant roads which had a hard time of it already.

Robeson stated that his proposition affected no roads except those which had received bonds in addition to land grants.

Caswell replied that he so understood it, but that it would be ineffectual as to the U. P. and C. P., because they had vested rights which could not be taken away or invaded by this house.

Hewitt, of New York, opposed the amendment. Here was a proposition by which it was sought to insert into the charters of these companies a condition subsequent. The authority for making this new condition was claimed to be the right to alter, amend or repeal the original acts. In the charters of the companies there was a provision that the rates to be paid should be fair and reasonable. The right to alter and amend charters was reserved in remarkable language, and the better, to accomplish the obligation of this act congress may at any time with due regard for the rights of said companies so alter, amend or repeal this act. He had never seen a clause in any charter in which that peculiar language was inserted "having due regard for the rights of said companies." Was congress prepared to begin the work of confiscation of private property, which when once approved by vote of the house would proceed with fearful strides until it ended in its logical result? The commission of the Pacific railroads for carrying the mails last year was $730,000. Fifty per cent. of that amounted to about $365,000. If the government wanted to get any compensation for its immense grants of lands and bonds $365,000 was scarcely worth while considering. Let it take the whole $730,000 and put it into the treasury as some compensation to the government for the great loss which certainly awaited it when the bonds matured. The amount due the government immediately after the passage of the Thurman act, was $99,000,000. The amount due on the last 30th of June was $103,000,000; an increase of four millions in a year. If the government were to day to take possession of this property it would have to take it subject to prior liens of $62,000,000. The result would be that those roads would cost the government $105,000,000. There was an impression abroad in this country that those railroads did not intend to pay the debt due the United States. He (Hewitt) confessed that he shared in that impression. He did not believe they would be able to pay it. He had not been unobservant of the policy of these companies. They were securing other roads independent of their own roads, and he expected to see them abandoned, and the people of the country would be brought face to face with the great question of administrating and owning railroads. The proposition brought before the house would diminish the sinking fund by the amount of fifty per cent. of the compensation now allowed for carrying the mails, for that money went into the sinking fund. What ought congress to do? Ought it to diminish the means provided for paying the government or ought these means be increased? The duty of congress was plain. Legislation of the kind now proposed would be held unconstitutional and valuable time be lost. If the committee on appropriations would amend this proposition by striking out the provision that the companies should take one-half the compensation and insert in lieu thereof the provision that they should pay into the sinking fund a sum equal to fifty per cent. of the amount now allowed by law he would support it.

Robeson suggested that this amounted to exactly the same thing.

Hewitt replied that it did not. He wanted to have remain in the sinking fund every dollar which now went into it, including the fifty per cent. which the gentleman proposed to take out of it, and he would vote for a proposition requiring the companies to pay in addition a sum equal to fifty per cent. of the amount they now got by law. In other words he wanted to secure a fund for payment of the debt.

Holman of Indiana offered and advocated his amendment providing land grant roads as distinguished from those which had also received bond subsidies shall be paid only fifty per cent. of the compensation allowed other roads which have not received government aid. He contended that the decision of the supreme court in the Union Pacific case did not decide, but, on the contrary, carefully avoided deciding that congress could not alter, modify or repeal the original charters.

Anderson, of Kansas, opposed the position taken by Caswell that the companies had vested rights with which congress could not interfere. Where could it be shown that any company had the vested right to determine what was a fair and reasonable compensation for carrying mails? He asserted that the Pacific railroads received a much higher compensation than other railroads, instancing the case of the Kansas Pacific, which received three times the amount paid other trunk lines; and yet these magnificent companies actually had the audacious, malicious, egregious check and impudence to come to congress and say they must be paid express rates. And notwithstanding all that, his friend Colonel Robert Ingersoll was actually in a hurry to abolish hell. [Laughter].

McLane of Maryland held that it was entirely in the power of the Pacific companies to so administer their affairs that there would never be any safety for the government except in a sinking fund.

Caswell—It would not ever do for the government to place itself on the line of repudiation and say it would not stand manfully by its contracts and set an example for private persons everywhere.

Hiscock of New York opposed Holman's amendment but advocated that offered by Robeson.

Robeson stated that the object of his amendment was to bring the compensation given to Pacific railroads down to the compensation granted to other roads. He repudiated the idea that congress had no power to do so and denied that there was any vested right in the companies which availed to say that their charters should not be amended.

Pending action the committee rose and the speaker announced the escort at the burial of Representative Orth, of Indiana: Calkins, Pierce, Steele, Watson, Davis, of Illinois, Urner and Reese. Adjourned.

SENATE.

At the close of the morning hour Sherman endeavored to bring up the bill relating to entry of distilled spirits. Plumb objected, and consideration of the Indian appropriation bill was resumed.

Plumb offered an amendment providing that the appropriation for the education of Indians at Carlisle shall cover also the cost of their transportation.

At two o'clock the civil service bill came up as unfinished business but was laid aside in order to complete the Indian appropriation bill.

Beck offered an amendment to the Indian bill directing the removal of the Crow agency to some point east of the Big Horn river, in the vicinity of Fort Custer. Agreed to.

The Indian bill passed by unanimous consent.

Sherman succeeded in getting up the bill extending the time for withdrawal of distillers' spirits from bonded warehouses.

Pennsylvania Pardons.

HARRISBURG, December 19.—The board of pardons to-night refused application for a pardon for David Morat, a well known Philadelphia politician convicted of altering election returns. The case of Silas Gray, of Westmoreland county, under sentence of death, was held under advisement. The case of Israel Eck, one of the Khitzler murderers, was left to the next board. In the case of Haines and Clements, highway contractors of Philadelphia, convicted of conspiracy, rehearing was refused. Pardons were granted in a number of minor cases.

GENERAL MATTERS.

D. & R. G. Western Completed to the Utah Line.

Severe Shock of Earthquake Felt in New Hampshire.

The Usual Number of Railway and Other Accidents.

Wyoming Cattle.

DENVER, December 19.—A gentleman who has just returned to Cheyenne from an 800-mile horseback journey through the Wyoming cattle region says he never saw cattle look so fine as they do this season. It is impossible to find a scrawny looking specimen anywhere; all of them are actually rolling in fat. This applies not only to cattle but horses also, and things seem satisfactory all around. There has been considerable more snow up north than here, but it has had no bad effect on the appearance of stock. Should this thing continue, next season will be the biggest kind of a year for the stockmen.

Utah Extension.

DENVER, December 19.—The track of the Denver & Rio Grande Utah branch reached the western line of Colorado this morning. There is remaining but 98 miles of track to lay from the east end to make connection with Salt Lake. The line will be completed to Salt Lake and be open for business by the 15th of February. The weather is mild and work is progressing satisfactorily.

A Blackmailing Scheme.

NEW YORK, December 19.—An extensive theft and blackmailing scheme was to-day developed in the district attorney's office by the arrest of Walter F. Shibley, aged 22, residing in Brooklyn, a clerk in the law office of William Sutphan, No. 20 Nassau street, and H. S. Kepling, lawyer, No. 103 Broadway, of Brooklyn. Shibley represented himself as an unmarried man to Sutphan. As such, in the course of business some months ago, Sutphan executed conditional deeds transferring real estate valued at one hundred and forty thousand dollars to him. The deeds were not recorded, it being meant to convey the property temporarily to Shibley for purposes of Sutphan's business, that he should reconvey, or the deeds be destroyed when the business was completed. The deeds were placed in a safe. An attractive young woman who constantly visited Shibley was introduced as Miss Jennie Brooks. On the 16th of November the law firm of Brown & Westcott, 115 Broadway, paid Shibley $14,823 on a check on the American Exchange National bank for money owing Sutphan. Shibley had the check certified, representing to Sutphan that the firm of Brown & Westcott had no money in the bank and that the cashier had kept the check refusing to certify until the money came in. He then went to the office of Fisk & Hatch and endeavored to purchase United States bonds, but the firm declined to receive the check, not knowing the endorsers. Shibley tried to secure the money from several other parties but failed. He disappeared and had not been seen until his arrest. When he disappeared he took the deeds for the property conveyed to him by Sutphan with him. The following day Kepling called on Sutphan and offered to procure the deeds for a consideration. Miss Brooks also called and introduced herself as Mrs. Walter F. Shibley, wife of the fugitive, and as such entitled to a dower right in the property. She refused to sign a release or tell where her husband was. Her husband wanted money for the papers and would not give them up unless he received it. Sutphan refused to pay anything and invoked the aid of the police. Both Shibley and Kepling were arraigned in the court of general sessions, where they pleaded not guilty. Bail was fixed at $10,000 and both prisoners were sent to the Tombs.

The Markets.

NEW YORK, December 18.—Mining stocks dull, with the exception of Sierra Grande, of which 24,600 shares were sold at 4.80 to 4.60, closing at 4.70. Navajo sold at 8.75 and 8.50; Horn Silver, 5.55; Standard Con. 6.50, and Robinson, 1.20. Sales of the day, 64,557 shares.

33	103½	49	120
Adams Express	141	American Express	91½
C. P.	87½	C. B. & Q.	128¾
D. & R. G.	44	Erie	30⅞
Houston & Texas	78½	Preferred	68
Lake Shore	117¾	Missouri Pacific	105
N. P.	45	Northwest	130½
Preferred	84⅞	Preferred	136½
Rock Island	129¾	N. Y. C.	131⅝
Texas Pacific	41	U. P.	101⅞
U. S. Express	65	Wells Fargo	129¾
W. U. T.	82⅜	Caribou	1¼
Central Arizona	⅞	Excelsior	1
Hermestenk	17	Little Pittsburg	1
Ontario	35½	Quicksilver	9
Homestake	17	Preferred	40
Silver Cliff	¾	South Pacific	
Sutro		Standard	

Railroad Collisions.

TROY, December 19.—Two freight trains were telescoped to-day at Melrose, on the Troy & Boston railway. The locomotives and thirty-five cars were wrecked. John Reardon, brakeman, was killed; Frank Brundage, brakeman, dying from broken back; Engineer Charles Killingbreck, and George Cross and Dennis O'Brien, brakemen, injured.

MARIEVILLE, Que., December 19.—There was a collision on the Southeastern railway two miles south of Richelieu Station between passenger express and a locomotive backing up. The express was running at the regular speed, forty miles an hour. The driver of the locomotive backing up evidently forgot about the express and it was not seen until the collision. Nine passengers were seriously injured; the others severely shaken up.

Gas Explosion.

BOSTON, December 19.—An explosion of gas caused a fire in the five-story brick buildings at New Washington street and Cornhill, occupied by John P. Lovell & Sons, dealers in fire arms, powder and sporting goods. A series of small explosions of cartridges, etc., followed, and in a short time the building was ablaze in every part. Warren Lovell, one of the firm, and Oscar Peavy, watchman, were badly burned about the head, throat and arms. Lovell had $125,000 worth of stock in the building, of which he occupied the portion facing the square. He has seventy thousand dollars insurance. The building was probably damaged $10,000. As soon as it was known where the fire was three alarms were sent out, bringing a large force of firemen and apparatus to the scene. Occasional fusillades of cartridges stampeded the crowds gathered. Firemen removed a large can of powder. The fire which looked so threatening at first began and ended in an hour.

Organized for Mining.

MILWAUKEE, December 19.—Articles of incorporation of the Consolidated Vanderbilt Mining company were filed to-day with the register of deeds. The incorporators are Imre Bros., Olaf E. Myer, John H. Tesch, Charles Mitchell, John Mitchell, Alexander Gordon, Henry M. Wilmott, Christopher C. Fletcher. Capital stock, $1,200,000, in 120,000 shares. Object general mining business in New Mexico Territory and elsewhere. The corporation is to have eight directors, a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer.

Earthquake.

CONCORD, N. H., December 19.—At 5:34 this evening one of the severest earthquake shocks ever felt here occurred. The shock was like a heavy explosion and shook the building, from which the people rushed to the streets.

CHORAL UNION.

The Concert to be Given Under its Auspices Next Week.

On Tuesday night, December 26th, the day following Christmas, a grand concert will be given in the opera house by the Colorado Springs Choral Union, under the direction of Prof. Finlayson. Nearly all of the leading musicians in the city, including both vocal and instrumental, will take part. The chorus will be made up entirely of members of the Choral Union, who have been under Professor Finlayson's training since its organization, and will number upwards of fifty voices. One of the features of this concert will be an orchestra of fourteen pieces, led by George E. White. Below we give the programme in full:

National air—"The Star Spangled Banner,"..... Chorus and orchestra.
Overture—Le Garcon de Cabinet (A. Talexy)..... Opera House orchestra.
The music to Macbeth. Imported to Mathew Locke, (style, early English.)
1. Symphony..... Orchestra.
2. "Speak, sister, speak!"..... Messrs. Barber, Noble, Miall and Chorus.
3. "He shall spill much blood!"..... Chorus.
4. "We shall rejoice,"..... Chorus.
5. (a) "Let's have a dance"..... Miss Andrews.
(b) Sometimes about a fallow tree"..... Mrs Schuyler.
6. (a) At the night raven's dismal sound..... Chorus.
(b) "Nimbly, nimbly dance,"..... Misses Aiken, Gurney, Messrs. Hart, Irving and Chorus.
7. (a) My little merry, airy spirit"..... Mr. Irving.
(b) Around, around..... Chorus.
Cornet solo—L'Elegante. (Damore)..... Mr. J. B. Knoblock (With orchestral Accompaniment.
Song, "The Lover and the Bird." (Gugkelmo) Miss Lizzie Frost.
Part songs, (a) "Who will o'er the downs,..... (Pearsall)
(b) "Beware" (Hutton)..... The Choral Union.
Song, "Alone" (Lucci de Sievers)..... Miss Marston.
Duo, Io vivo e l'amo, (Campana)..... Mrs. Eldredge and Mr. Finlay Finlayson.
Song, "Alice where art thou?" (Ascher)..... Mr. F. Hart.
Maid and Mistress. (Selection)..... Opera comique in two acts. Words and music by Prof. Finlay Finlayson.
1. Overture..... Orchestra.
Flute solo, Mr. Winn, clarinet solo, Mr. Harwood, horn solo, Mr. Ruddy.
2. "O how bright, O how fair"..... Mrs. Eldredge and Miss Marston.
3. "Disguised as two servants"..... Mrs. Eldredge and Miss Marston.
4. "I'd choose to have my dwelling"..... Mr. McCoombs.
5. "'Tis only a flower"..... Miss Marston.
6. "Sweet home once more"..... Messrs. McCoombs and Finlayson.
7. "My love is true to me"..... Mrs. Eldredge.
8. "The sun has departed"..... Mrs. Eldredge, Miss Marston, Messrs. McCoombs, Hart and Finlayson.
Part song, "Sweet and Low" (Barnby)..... The Choral Union.
Song, "Ring on Sweet Angelus," (Gounod)..... Miss Fannie Aiken.
Song, Waiting, (Millard)..... Miss Lizzie Frost.
Solo, "O Ye Tears," (Abt)..... Miss Gurney.
Song, "Lo! here the gentle lark," (Bishop)..... Mrs. Eldredge.
Flute obligato, Mr. A. Winn.
Quartet, The water sprite (Schumann)..... Misses Frost, Aiken, Mrs. Hodgeson and Miss Gurney.
Overture, The Fiddler of St. Wanst (Reeve)..... The Opera House Orchestra.
Part songs (a) The Blue bells of Scotland..... (b) Home sweet home.....

TREE PLANTING.

A New System of Planting Practicable for the Plains.

Mr. Hodgman, of this city, hands us the following letter in regard to a new system of tree planting which will be of interest to many of our readers:

CHICAGO, December 14th.

N. Hodgman, Colorado Springs:

DEAR SIR:—Your letter of December 4th, 1882, dated at Colorado Springs, Colorado, referring to the articles which appeared in the Denver Republican November 28th and December 3d in regard to my new system of "tree planting" is before me.

I also notice that you desire further explanations, and inasmuch as thousands of others no doubt will want the same, and my object being only to benefit humanity, I have therefore concluded to send you a full explanation of my new system of tree planting and you can turn it over to the press for publication. A full explanation can also be found in the Waverly Magazine of July the 15th past.

What I claim is, that I could grow trees, or forests, in any portion of Kansas, or upon our western plains, without irrigation, for it does rain there occasionally, and by husbanding such water, tree food, as I could secure when it did rain, or the snow melted, I could carry my trees safely through the dry season.

The natural foliage of trees creates a water shed to lead the food from them, and in addition to that, for thousands of years our over-wise scientific theorizing tree planters have been creating water sheds by banking up their trees, to lead the tree food from them, and let them starve. Now I simply reverse the whole thing and create water sheds by setting my trees in a sort of valley, natural or artificial, over a clay basin foundation, and dig trenches on each side leading to the trees to aid nature in feeding them. Or, in other words, it is done in order to obtain in liquid form pure sweet and sparkling as nature prepares it, by the action of the rain, or the melting of the snow, the fertilizing substances from the surrounding decayed vegetation which, in point of fact, is the life sustaining food of every tree, shrub, vine, flower or plant, and without which they could not exist.

Nature never prepares a fermented soured liquid solution to fertilize her vegetation; and there is where all our agricultural and horticultural men have failed, and there is where our ladies have failed with their house plants, while in England they distribute their fermented fertilizing substances in the fall or winter in order that by the action of the atmosphere they may be transformed back pure and sweet as Nature prepared them before they are required for use by the roots of the plants.

Show me a piece of heavy timbered land in the United States if you can where the trees do not grow in alluvial soil over a clay formation. In the dry climate and soil of Kansas, upon the plains, and in portions of Colorado, the clay basin bottom should be placed at least three or four feet below the surface of the earth, and loam mixed with clay should be used for filling, and to cover the roots of the tree. Respectfully,

EPHRAIM H. CUMMINGS.

Paris Letter.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

PARIS, December 4.—The restlessness lately displayed by the French government in different quarters of the globe imparts peculiar interest to an article on French future development, which appears this morning in the Republique Francaise. While remarking how necessary it is that the republic should pursue an intelligent and firm policy, the Gambettist journal explains that there is no question of making conquests. In Europe this would be sheer madness. All that France has to do here is to hold herself in readiness to repel insult and attack. As regards the other parts of the world, all the countries that were worth taking have been snapped up. "Never shall we repair the unhappy loss of the Indies, of Canada, and of that Louisana which a Bonaparte sold without even consulting his senate or his corps legislatif. It is only in equatorial Africa that immense tracts of land seem still to be awaiting European occupants; but they are closed by their deadly climate against any attempt of colonization. We shall not go and till King Makoko's ground. But let us very carefully preserve what we have got, enlarging our possessions if the opportunity offers, as in Tonquin and Madagascar. But, on the other hand, let us renounce all hope of creating for ourselves in the future a vast colonial empire, as we might have done in the eighteenth century." The plan advocated by the Republique Francaise is the establishment at every possible point of commercial centres. Those already existing must be increased ten-fold. "It is here that the most solid basis of our prosperity is to be found, and it would be absurd to dispute the fact, that it is by the extent of its commerce that the political influence of a nation will always be measured." The Gambettist journal is of opinion that the government should protect the interests of French pioneers by every means in its power. Should it do this there need be no anxiety about France's expansion, as Frenchmen have so much energy and perseverance that thousands and then hundreds of thousands will carry their name, civilization and influence to every point of the compass. "But," concludes the writer, "in this case we must break forever with the detestable policy which preceded and followed the Alexandria massacres."

The presentation of the medal offered to M. De Brazza, the rival of Mr. Stanley in the dark continent, by the city of Paris, came off this afternoon at the Pavilion de Flore with much pomp and ceremony. M. De Brazza and his two brothers were escorted to the Tuileries by four members of the municipal council in carriages sent for the purpose, being received at the entrance, where a guard of honour was stationed, by the president and bureau. On making his entry into the grand hall, where the prefects of the Seine and of Police M. Brisson, M. Tirard, M. De Lesseps and other officials were awaiting him, M. De Brazza was saluted with deafening cries of "Vive De Brazza!" "Vive le vaillant explorateur!" "Vive la Republique!" the company, ladies included, rising to do him honour. The opening speech was made by M. De Heutelier, the president, who, alluding to the reception accorded some time ago to Professor Nordenskjold, declared that the municipality had once more affirmed that Paris was the real capital of the civilized world. He then complimented M. De Brazza on his "pacific conquest," concluding with best wishes for the success of his new expedition. Other speakers followed in the same strain, and the medal was then presented in due form, M. De Brazza in his reply expressing his full confidence in the result of his undertaking.

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B. W. STEELE,
Manager of the Gazette.

The virtuous fit of the house lasted twenty-four hours.

Judge Belford's decision to return to Washington must have secured the passage of the resolution for adjournment.

Belford feels that he has a chance to go to the senate. We trust no such disgrace is in store for us. Few states have had such a motley list of senatorial candidates. An intelligent legislature would not give a second thought to most of the candidates.

The Journal of Commerce in its last issue gives the following complimentary notice of the graded sheep of this county: "Over in "El Paso county, where the hills slope gently "with the south and the rich grasses grow in "abundance, is the home of the blooded sheep. "Here grows the aristocratic mutton of Colorado. The ill-bred animal of the south has "yielded the field in El Paso, and a breed "with illustrious ancestry, in New England "and in Spain, has gained a bluer blood, if "needs be, in Colorado. The Merinos of El "Paso are the banner sheep of the west."

The San Juan Herald says that Silverton shipped 6,000 tons of iron and silver ore this season. It thinks if the railroad had not been extended to Silverton, the shipments would not have been over 1,000 tons. The value of a railroad to mining camps is not always appreciated. If the camp has any ore to ship, the increase is usually six or seven times. Ore was shipped from Silverton to Denver for $12 a ton by rail. This is a distance of nearly 500 miles. When freight was sent to Leadville in wagons from here, a distance of 125 miles, the rate was from $40 to $60 a ton. The rates by rail immensely increased the production of camps reached by the railroad because it takes so many mines from the list of non-paying mines and puts them in the list of paying mines. Ouray realizes this in her petition for a railroad. Apropos of all this the San Juan Herald very aptly remarks: "If some "of the papers along the line of the Denver & "Rio Grande railroad would work for the in-"terests of the country and towns they live "in, and would encourage instead of running "down such advantages, they would show a "better spirit and be thought more of by their "patrons."

Colonel Dodge has sent out the following circular to the station agents of the Denver & Rio Grande road, which will be of interest and explains itself:

"During the spring and summer of 1883 an international exposition will be held at Amsterdam, Holland, and it is deemed desirable, in behalf of the mining interests of our state, that Colorado should be represented at this exhibition, if not in person, at least by a liberal contribution of fairly selected specimens of our ore product.

"To this end, will you please see, or correspond with the superintendent or other officer of such mines as are shipping from your station, and obtain from them three or four specimens of ore weighing from one-half to five pounds each, or not more than a total of fifteen pounds from each mine and district, value of ore per ton, etc., and forward the same (by D. & R. G. R'y Express) to J. B. Andrews, secretary to general manager of this company, Denver.

"It would be well, in addition, to suggest the fact of this Amsterdam exhibition to owners or agents of mines not yet shipping ore, but whose properties are sufficiently developed to prove their value, and request them also to send you suitable specimens from their mines and forward with the above.

"It is necessary that prompt action should be taken, as it is requisite that all specimens obtainable should reach here prior to January 15, 1883."

The most vital thing in any civil service reform bill is tenure of office. Unless this is made absolutely and solely dependent on efficiency, it will be a failure. We can see the evidence of failure now in the calculations the democrats are making on getting all the offices in 1885. If the officers are appointed for a certain length of time, politics will determine the successor. The government ought to hire a man as any business firm would. Put before the man the assurance of steady work so long as there is work to do and the man is faithful. Also let him feel that efficiency and ability will raise his position. Mere examinations amount to little. The weakness of our system is not that the president appoints, but that he may remove and is not compelled to appoint a faithful officer when his term runs out. These two things have introduced politics into the service. We want more to be able to retain good men than to get good men into the service. The quality of the office-holding class is by no means bad. All we want is to remove from their minds that they are in danger of dismissal from any other cause besides inefficiency. This will do more than anything else to prevent scheming politicians from seeking office. Pendleton's bill does not make the point prominent enough. His system of appointments is likely to be a failure. It is not undertaken by any business house. His whole point seems to be to secure the appointment of efficient men. No examination can secure this. Only experience can. Experience can do this if efficiency is the sole qualification for tenure of office, because then inefficient men will be weeded out of the service as soon as appointed.

The Cincinnati Commercial urges that Ohio establish a picture gallery of eminent men. It gives good reason for this in the list of citizens of Ohio who were eminent during the war and since. Few people consider that every president elected since the war has been a citizen of Ohio; that the position of chief justice has been occupied by a citizen of Ohio since 1864; that Ohio has had the general and lieutenant-general of the army ever since the war. But Ohio has been alike distinguished in the cabinet and elsewhere in American public life. Our two great financial secretaries came from Ohio. Under Chase was inaugurated the financial measures that supplied the money to put down the rebellion. Under Sherman the unfulfilled pledges made to secure those funds to put down the rebellion were redeemed and most successful and gigantic refunding measures in our history were carried out. Stanton, the great war secretary, was also from Ohio. The one of three major generals just retired was an Ohio man, and his successor is an Ohio man. Gilmore and Rosecrans were like McDowell and Pope from Ohio. A gallery with pictures of Grant, Sherman and Sheridan representing the army; Hayes, Garfield, Chase, Stanton, John Sherman, Giddings, Wade, Waite, Cox, and Dennison in civil life would not only be of pride to the state but to the nation. In a certain sense no one of these names belongs to Ohio. Their careers are inseparable from the martial and political history of the nation for the last twenty-five years. Ohio would most honor herself by thus claiming as her sons men of such honor in the nation.

The Journal of Commerce has an article on railroad earnings, and has come to the conclusion that if the last legislature had passed a bill fixing rates some $15,000,000 would have been saved to the people of this state. Its reasoning is peculiar. The earnings for the roads in the state for 1881 were about $9,000,000. The earnings of the eastern trunk lines were $37,000,000, of which the Journal of Commerce thinks $9,250,000 were for Colorado freight. This would make $18,250,000 as the amount paid by Colorado to railroads in 1881. But it is evident to the most casual observer that no legislation could not effectually reach the trunk lines unless there was co-operation on the part of eastern states. The only saving that such legislation could have effected would be in the earnings of lines within the state. These roads earned some $9,000,000 in 1881, and may earn $11,000,000 in 1882, or $20,000,000 in the two years. Of course it is preposterous to talk about saving $15,000,000 out of this. The operating expenses alone would be some $13,000,000 or $14,000,000. On one road they are 80 per cent. Besides this there is the interest on the bonded debt, which will about take the balance. If the Journal of Commerce will take pains to see what the operating expenses of these lines are and add the interest on a fair cost for the railroads, it will find that the entire earnings will be exhausted. Yet the Journal of Commerce thinks the last legislature should have reduced the earnings one half. The roads could not then have paid their operating expenses (no road is operated in Colorado for 50 per cent. of its gross earnings) and it is not desirable that these roads should be unable to pay their employes. Besides interest on bonds would have been unpaid and every road would have been bankrupt. This would have made a queer showing to the capitalists in the east and Europe who are urged to invest in our railroads, mines and business enterprises. Such talk is almost criminal because it affects the minds of unthinking people and leads sometimes to unwise legislation. We will admit that railroad legislation would have reduced the earnings, but in a state that wishes capital to come in to build railroads is it wise to make all such investments heretofore made unprofitable. Yet it is evident such would have been the result, and it is pertinent to ask how such legislation would have made railroad earnings less. It would have prevented the building of the San Juan, Gunnison, Utah, Silver Cliff and Del Norte extensions of the Denver & Rio Grande. It probably would also have prevented the building of the Denver & New Orleans, because Governor Evans was strongly opposed to railroad legislation. It would have reduced earnings by preventing railroad building and thus reducing mileage. It would have prevented much of the development of western Colorado, which is largely due to railroads. It would have killed such projects as the steel works, because their business largely depends on railroad extensions. It would have prevented the expenditure of a sum of money for extensions in this state which probably more than equals all the earnings of the roads in this state. It is well to look at these questions from a practical point of view. We all wish the state to grow and prosper and all legislation should conduce to that end.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Robert Anderson, the widow of the hero of Fort Sumter, is staying with her daughters in Washington.

Representative Hill, the champion of the pending Two cent Postage bill, is the father of the postal-card business in this country.

The youngest inventor on the records in Washington is Walter Nevergold, a lad fifteen years of age, of Bristol, Pa., who has patented important improvements in rolling-mill machinery.

George Bancroft, the historian, is expected to preside at the centennial celebration of the founding of the Exeter, (N. H.) Academy, next June. Dr. Stebbins, of San Francisco, will deliver the address.

Senator Edmunds and wife will soon go to the south with their daughter Mary, whose delicate health requires a milder climate than that of Washington. Mrs. Edmunds and her daughter will probably remain in the south until spring.

The Rev. Dr. Hugh Miller Thompson is the fifth bishop taken within twelve years from the pulpit of Trinity Protestant Episcopal church, New Orleans, the others being Bishops Pierce, of Arkansas; Beckwith, of Georgia; Harris, of Michigan, and Galleher, of Louisiana.

Wilhelm Steinitz, the famous chess player, will go to Baltimore for a series of games and then to New Orleans. He does not wish to leave this country until he has played thirty games simultaneously, but as yet no club has been able to muster that number of players to meet him.

P. T. Barnum was liberated from the Danbury (Conn.) jail fifty years ago, and the other day the semi-centennial of the occurrence was duly celebrated at Bridgeport. His imprisonment was for an alleged libel, published in a local newspaper. At the celebration Mr. Barnum delivered an address on "The Freedom of the Press," speaking in the same court house where he had received his sentence.

Maurice Bergen, of Monroe, La., felt a premonition that his death was near. He said so to a friend, deciding that he would be dead before December 5. He was laughed at, but his response was an offer to bet a seventy-five dollar suit of clothes—as he was a tailor—against a coffin of equal value. The wager was made, and Bergen won. The loser provided a handsome burial casket according to agreement.

The last Glasgow Herald says that the paternal relatives of Mr. A. T. Stewart, resident in Scotland, had met at an attorney's at Lockerbie. It was shown that there were twenty-seven second cousins, but there stands in the way a certain Jane Stewart, full cousin to Mr. Stewart, who married Mr. Harkness, and who, if she survived Mr. Stewart, would be his sole heir. These people are either acting under the delusion that Mr. Stewart died intestate, or that they can set aside his will on the score of undue influence.

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50x100, N. Weber st.	350
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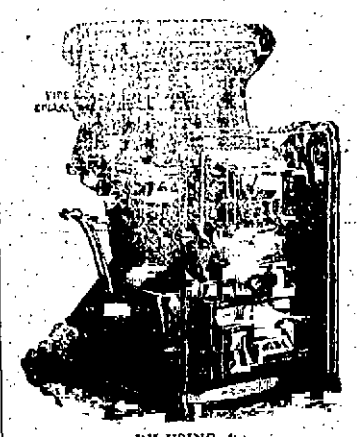

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DAILY GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 0 1882

MINING MENTION.

Leadville Mention---Bowen's Bonanza

Leadville Democrat

The Printer Girl lode, on the east side of Iron hill, is beginning to yield some ore The shaft has a depth of 110 feet striking the mineral vein, carrying ore similar to the Mike and Star mineral But a small shipment of ore has so far been made, which assayed about twenty per cent in copper, and some gold and silver Large and regular shipments will soon be in order The Printer Girl is worked by Fred Boudry, who has a working bond on the property

The Utah Mine Protection association has issued a letter circular against the reduction of tariff on lead Utah claims to produce 30,000 tons of lead, or 25 per cent of the consumption of this metal in the United States

The dividend of the Iron Silver Mining company is payable December 20th, and is the fourth dividend of $100 000 paid this year The books closed on the 10th inst, and will be reopened for the transfer of stock two days after the payment of the dividend

Correspondence Pueblo News

After a wait of some fifteen or twenty minutes we arrived at the mouth of the Little Ida tunnel, which runs straight in for a distance of 200 feet, when it turns to the left and at a distance of 400 feet further intersects the vein of the Little Ida Near the end of the tunnel a large pocket of black sulphides of gold was encountered It is out of this very pocket that Tom Bowen has been selling so many gold bricks and from appearances it seems as if as many more could be gotten without in the least affecting the mine I don't mean by mentioning this pocket to insinuate that the mine is composed of pockets alone but the vein is well defined the entire length it has been explored and pays on an average from $50 to $800 per ton But it is from these pockets that Tom Bowen has acquired his sudden wealth and when never once dream was struck it would not be many days before the Bowen gang would come down to Del Norte in double quick time, and a close observer could easily perceive the anxiety of their haste when they arrived in front of the Bowen Exchange

Coming out to where the tunnel made one can easily perceive another tunnel to the right and running at acute angles with the tunnel just described This is the Odin tunnel and if I was surprised at the immense wealth of the Ida it was but a pigmy compared with my surprise at beholding the lead of the Odin I have often read romantic stories of the gold mines of Peru and old Mexico, and wondered that such things could be But after seeing this mine I can truly, and without dispute believe anything that may be said pertaining to hidden treasures It is a positive fact that free gold glitters on nearly every side and an attempt at estimating the wealth of this vein is more than mortal man can do I asked for a specimen from this wonderful treasure but my guardian assured me that I had as well try and carry away an Indian god when its worshipers were watching, so I thought to remove a specimen from the vein without Tom Bowen's written permission After lingering some time amid all this profusion of wealth we turned our step toward the entrance, and once more stood where nothing was seen to indicate the riches that lay beneath This was the lower workings of the Ida that we had explored, and as work had been suspended on the entire mine we decided not to go through the upper workings These workings are developed by about 700 feet of tunneling and a shute connects the main tunnel with the tunnel of the workings below so all the ore for the mills pass through the lower tunnel For the winter Tom Bowen will not do any work either in his mines or mills, and work on both has already been suspended

I could not learn the amount of gold that has been taken from the mine but know enough to assert that the amount for the last summer was immense

The next mine I visited was the Little Annie which is owned and operated by the Little Annie Gold Mining company This mine is near the Little Ida and the nature of the mineral is the same as that of the latter About two months ago a pocket of mineral was encountered in the tunnel, which yielded $30 000 to the ton This company at present operates only a 10 stamp mill, and in one run of six days over $21 000 was cleared

Tom Bowen has two good stamp mills ready for operation in the spring and the Iowa Consolidated has one This is one of the best mills in the state, however, and has 20 stamps The Little Annie mill is the only mill that will run all winter, and this will run night and day

Graduates of Yale.

The second annual banquet of the Colorado Yale association will be held at the Windsor hotel, on Thursday evening, December 21st, at 6 30 o clock All who have been connected with the college, whether graduates or non graduates are earnestly invited to be present. Those who intend to be present or desire to become members of the association, will please communicate at once with Charles J Harris secretary, P O box 56, Denver

GEO W YOUNG, President

F O Wolcott, Chairman of Executive Committee

OUT WEST

Leadville and Silver Cliff are now in the throes of a county seat war

Prof Hall has become the manager of the Central City opera house

The Durango jail is full and the cry is for increased accommodations for criminals

One Denver restaurant keeper has sold 150,000 oysters during the past three months

During the year 1881 2 eighty children were admitted to the State Reform school at Golden

Gunnison county will issue $174,000 in bonds of which $41 000 has already been disposed of

A club has been organized at Del Norte for the advancement of all legitimate sporting pursuits

Theatrical combinations object seriously to going to Pueblo at all on account of its poor opera house

The Nilsson concert in Denver on Saturday night bids fair to be the event of the season in Denver

Only three men were injured by the boiler explosion at Montrose, instead of three being killed as reported

It is still maintained by the people at Akron, that a subterranean river eight feet deep has been discovered

The ordnance store house at Fort Russell was burned on Friday night including 10,000 cartridges, loss $6,500

The approximate earnings of the A, T & S F for last month were from $60,000 to $75,000 larger than they were last year

Grand Junction, although a comparatively frontier town is making extensive preparations toward furnishing its children with a liberal education

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES

The copper industry is growing wonderfully in Wyoming and gives promise of over shadowing the Lake Superior districts

A Laredo special says Harry Clifton was dangerously wounded at a variety theatre with a paper wad fired from a pistol used in rehearsal

The new railroad, the St Louis, Fort Scott & Wichita, is ten miles away from Eldorado, Kansas and will be completed and in operation to that point January 1st

It is stated that the government intends to deal instantly with Mr Bigger on account of his attack on the administration of justice in Ireland and the character of the viceroy

The democratic congressional convention of the 17th Ohio district at Bellaire yesterday nominated Ross B Alexander for the vacancy caused by the death of Hon J Updegraff

Postmaster Dury at Mobonief, Texas was halted on the public highway by two men and being slow to obey the command to hold up his hands was fatally shot and robbed

An effort is making to secure the pardon of James G Brien the self confessed perjurer in the matter of the Morey letter forgery Gov Cornell will leave the matter to his successor

The New York republican central committee has referred the proposition to strike out the pledge requiring support to all nominees for its constitution, to various associations for action

Val Wagner, a farmer at Mt Gilead Ohio went to the house of Daniel Sheehan, his brother in law in a quarrel and deliberately shot the latter dead in the presence of his wife and children

The Austro German alliance meets with the unmixed approval of the entire German press The community says prolongation of the treaty will effectually bar out Slavic intrigues, Russian expansion aspirations and French plans for revenge

A special to the St Paul Pioneer Press from Lake City says Two young women, Lettie Lindell and Fredrica Peterson who attempted to cross the river on the ice to Stockholm Wis with a young man named Andrew Johnson probably drowned They have not since been heard from

Bistine's Appointment

St Louis December 14—George W Bistine late of the D & R G railway has been appointed general manager of the Texas & St Louis, narrow gauge, and will assume his duties January 1st, with headquarters in this city He is well known as a very capable railroad man

LETTER LIST

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Colorado Springs El Paso county Colorado for the week ending December 20th 1882

Anderson Angus	Richards Rev
Cooper Mrs Wm	Saw Miss Anni
Dare A J	Stephenson Miss F
Cochran Wm	Sittle Mrs J W
Connell Mrs A W	Wagner H
Funk M H	Wilson B B
Peck F O	Wilson, B W

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WANTED

WANTED—A capable girl for general house work a good cook Apply at southwest corner of Cascade and Pike's Peak avenue m 20

WANTED—To sell or trade for horses or cattle, good cedar posts m 1 12

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WANTED—By a teacher—A young lady who has had experience in teaching, wishes a situation as governess in a family first class references given Address A B Gazette office m 19 3t

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DAILY GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1882.

TIME TABLE.

Colorado Springs & Manitou R'y.

Leave Colo. Springs.	Leave Manitou.
9:10 a. m.	8:20 a. m.
12:01 p. m.	11:20 a. m.
4:40 p. m.	3:40 p. m.

Denver & Rio Grande Railway

Trains going South.	Trains going North.
No. 1 arrives 11:45 a. m.	No. 2 arrives 4:25 p. m.
No. 1 leaves 11:50 a. m.	No. 2 leaves 4:30 p. m.
No. 3 arrives 10:30p. m.	No. 4 arrives 4:20 a. m.
No. 3 leaves 10:35 p. m.	No. 4 leaves 4:25 a. m.

Through tickets for sale to all principal cities East, at the depot. Parties can select their own route.

Trains now running through to Leadville. Pullman palace sleepers attached to night trains. Horton reclining chair cars on day trains. Observation cars on daylight trains through the Royal Gorge in the Grand Canyon.

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J. M. ELLISON, Agent.

There was quite a fall of snow on Pike's Peak yesterday.

Charley Howbert now wears Burt's shoes No. 6; at least so the boys say.

Billy Bryan predicts that the masquerade ball at Saratoga Hall, Manitou, on Saturday night, will be a big success.

Howbert Bros. will open up this morning a very handsome line of New Years cards which are well worth inspecting.

The Pike's Peak Commandery of Knights Templar will give a ball in the Masonic hall on St. John's day, December 27th.

Fred Adams, formerly in the First National Bank of Colorado Springs, now in the bank at Gunnison City, will spend the holidays with his friends here.

The remains of George M. Bundy have not as yet been forwarded to his former home in Vermont. The undertaker is awaiting further instructions from his family.

Lavitt's Giganteen minstrels will appear at the opera house the first week in January. Following the Giganteans come several other leading theatrical attractions.

An orchestra of 14 pieces, the largest ever organized in Colorado Springs, will participate in the concert to be given by the Choral Union next Tuesday evening.

The members of the Polymnian club of the public school will hold an open session in the high school building Friday evening, December 22d. Doors open at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Ben. Selling, of Messrs. Aikin, Selling & Co., wholesale boot and shoe men of Portland, Oregon, who has been visiting for several days past with J. H. Lunn, of this city, left for the east yesterday.

Mrs. C. J. Reynolds and Miss Mamie Reynolds returned with Dr. Reynolds on Monday. They were accompanied by a cousin of Miss Reynolds, Miss Hattie White, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, who will spend the winter here.

Mr. B. S. Fleisheim, of Messrs. B. S. Fleisheim & Co., of Kansas City, was in Colorado Springs yesterday. Mr. Fleisheim is one of the most popular merchants of the Missouri valley and his western friends are always glad to see him.

The ladies of the Christian church will give a Christmas supper Saturday evening, December 23, in C. C. Clark's old stand, beginning at five o'clock p. m. They will also have pure fresh candies for sale at the same place that afternoon and evening. Admission fee: Supper 50 cents; children under ten, 25 cents.

The Gunnison News-Democrat says that Mr. Frank Howbert, formerly of this city, is revolutionizing the boot and shoe trade of Gunnison City. The paper says further that heretofore the citizens have been compelled to send abroad for the best makes of boots and shoes, but now they can get them at home at moderate prices.

Mr. C. F. Albrecht, the popular cigar man in the Oriel block, just north of the postoffice, inserts a number of business locals in this morning's issue of the GAZETTE calling attention to his extensive line of smokers' goods very suitable for Christmas presents. He has all the very latest designs in meerschaum pipes, cigar holders and cigarette holders, besides the largest and best line of cigars ever brought to Colorado Springs.

Death of Charley Jefferay.

A telegram was received in this city yesterday afternoon announcing the death of Charles T. Jefferay, at Denver, at 2:30, p. m., from typhoid pneumonia, after a sickness of ten days. It has been known to his friends in this city for several days that he was lying seriously ill. He was so low on Saturday night that his physicians thought he would not live through the night. On Sunday his wife arrived from the east and he rallied a little, but it was only temporary. Mr. Jefferay was known to nearly every one in Colorado Springs. He came here in October, 1878, and accepted a position with Messrs. Tyler & Jefferay, with which firm he remained until they gave up business. Afterwards he took charge of the business for Mr. W. S. Jackson and subsequently took a position with Howbert & Eoff. About a month ago he resigned his place with the last mentioned firm to accept one with Messrs. Stone & Co., of Denver.

Mr. Jefferay came here from Hillsdale, Michigan, where his mother still resides. He has a brother at Kalamazoo, Michigan, also one at Leadville. In October Mr. Jefferay was married to Miss Lizzie Belden, of Norwalk, Connecticut. Shortly after the marriage he came west leaving his wife with friends in Michigan. When his sickness was pronounced serious by the physicians she was summoned to his bedside, arriving there on Saturday night. No information has yet been received as to whether his funeral will take place in Denver or not.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

10 Ten cents per line for first insertion; five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Advertisements to go in every other day, or on certain days of the week only, ten cents per line for each insertion.

CHRISTMAS CARDS.

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C. F. Albrecht's great Christmas mill is fairly bursting with pretty holiday goods, and is daily grinding out to the Christmas-buying public the finest, holiday pipes and cigars in the city, at very low prices. Call and see him. m-20-4*

Opening of New Year's cards at Howbert Bros.' this morning. Full assortment of Prang's elegant and beautiful designs. m-20-2

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Great preparations at Herman's, Manitou, for Christmas. m-17-3*

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Albrecht's 5-cent cigars take the cake. m-20-4*

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C. C. Clark & Co. will commence selling out their entire stock of winter ribbons, hats and bonnets at cost, Monday, December 18. Come everybody. m-17-3

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Ralstin & Fairley, Undertakers and Embalmers. m-17-tf

Try Albrecht's hand-made five and ten cent cigars. m-20-4*

At cost, at cost, at cost, at cost. Come everybody to C. C. Clark & Co.'s millinery and fancy goods store and buy a hat at cost. m-17-3

The None Such 5-cent cigar at Albrecht's fills the bill. m-20-4*

Pianos, organs and sewing machines for sale or rent and repaired at Aiken's music store. wd-f-19-tf

MONEY TO LOAN.

C. F. Albrecht is now prepared to give his patrons advantage of eastern prices in cigars, pipes and tobacco. m-20-4*

For lame back, side or chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. F. E. Robinson, agent. dwh-12-6m

The very latest styles and designs in meerschaum pipes and cigar holders constantly on display, at greatly reduced prices, at C. F. Albrecht's. m-20-4*

Rogers' Groups at New York prices: "Playing Checkers," "Country Postoffice," "The Favored Scholar," "The School Examination," "Parting Promise," "The Tap on the Window." The best thing in town for a Xmas-present. Call and see at F. E. Robinson's. m-17-tf

The best and cheapest cigars and tobacco in the city, at C. F. Albrecht's. m-20-4*

Majolica ware at Ashby's. m-17-4

Do not fail to see Albrecht's fine line of meerschaum pipes—the nicest thing for a souvenir. m-20-4*

COLORADO COLLEGE—The College library will be closed to the public from December 14 to January 3, 1883. All books are hereby called in, and holders are requested to return same at once to the librarian. Per order. m-14-5

The Holiday goods you want have been discovered at Warren Libby's Variety store, South Tejon st. The rush has already commenced. Be sharp on time for first choice. m-15-eod-tf

For an hour of enjoyment, smoke Albrecht's Domestic Henry Clay, 10-cent cigar. m-20-4*

SHILOH'S COUGH and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures consumption. F. E. Robinson, agent. dwh-12-6m

Call on F. M. Doudna & Co., druggists, who have a new and complete stock of pure and fresh drugs and medicines. Prescriptions a specialty. At less than eastern prices. South Tejon st., adjoining Brigham's meat market. m-8-tf

Have you tried Albrecht's imported and domestic cigars. m-20-4*

Elegant Silver Bridal Presents! Allen. m-2-tf

Decorated Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets at Ashby's. m-17-4

C. C. C. C. C. C. C. Clark again heard from, and now he offers to sell the ladies all the hats and bonnets they want at cost. m-17-3

Everybody declares that Albrecht's two for 25 cents Golden Crown cigar beats them all. m-20-4*

TRY YOUR LUCK.

During the next thirty days every purchaser of five dollars worth of goods from us will receive a ticket entitling him to one chance in a $25 overcoat to be drawn January 1st, 1883, at our store. DANIELS & WHAITE.

Colorado Springs, December 1, 1882. 1-30-tf

C. F. Albrecht, the popular cigar man, can be found 3 doors north of the post office. m-20-4*

Giddings & Stillman have just received a large line of imported Xmas Cards. 1-28-tf

Top and open buggies at cost at G. S. Barnes'. 1-28-tf

Finest meerschaum pipes in the market, from $4 to $12 each, at C. F. Albrecht's. m-20-4*

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For solid comfort, smoke the "Belle of the West" five-cent cigar, kept by C. F. Albrecht. m-20-4*

SEE THIS!—You are not compelled to take your prescriptions where your physician directs. Church & Co. will fill them correctly and at eastern prices. 1-13 tf

Mr. L. C. Davis has the finest stock of Jewelry and the most experienced workmen in the state. 1-3-tf

Just received at C. F. Albrecht's, third door north of post office, a fine line of holiday goods. m-20-4*

Go to G. S. Barnes for buggies, phaetons, canopy tops and light express wagons. c-9-tf

For pure and fresh drugs, at eastern prices, go to Church & Co.'s drug store. a-15-tf

Now is the time to "polish up the handle of the big front door." We have a few old papers left that are suitable for that kind of work. tf

Opening of New Year's cards at Howbert Bros.' this morning. Full assortment of Prang's elegant and beautiful designs. m-20-2

Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the HATTIE AIMEE MINING COMPANY, for the election of directors, etc., will be held at the office of the company, in Colorado Springs, Colo., on Tuesday, the 2d day of January, 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m.

By order of the President,

1-2 EDGAR T. ENSIGN, Secretary.

M. L. DeCOURSEY

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For Sale "BEAVER RANCH," 3 miles south of Colorado Springs, (city of 7,000 population), 240 acres, mostly meadow, bottom land; Fountain river running through it, also private irrigating ditch and several large springs of pure soft water—a beaver pond and carp pond. Shade trees, pasture for 50 head cows or horses, cuts 250 to 300 tons hay, selling for $20 to $30 per ton. Dwelling houses, now shed and barns holding 300 tons hay. The entire property is well fenced. I will sell this valuable ranch for $20,000, of which only $3,000 will be required in cash. Balance on long time, running to ten years, at 10 per cent. interest.

FOR SALE.

Ranch of 160 acres fenced, including 50 acres under cultivation, balance pasture and meadow land. Good house, barn and corrals. Abundance of water. $2,000.

Ranch of 120 acres, of which 80 acres are fenced; good house, excellent springs, fine range, good pasture and hay lands; $1,200.

Beautiful cottage of 5 rooms on lot 50x190 feet, N. Tejon st. House is new, has nice porches, city water, lovely lawn, shade and fruit trees, large bed of strawberries. A real bargain at $2,100.

Neat cottage of 3 rooms. Desirable location, on corner lot 50x190 feet. Only $550.

Large brick house of 7 rooms, bath room, several closets, porches, city water; barn and garden. Good location. Lot 100x190 feet, facing east. $3,500, of which $2,000 may stand one year at 10 per cent.

Seven room house on best part of Weber street; city water, beautiful lawn, ornamental trees, shrubs, fine garden with raspberries, currants, grape vines, apple and cherry trees, all in bearing; two large beds of asparagus of seven years growth. This is one of the most desirable properties in town, and is in perfect order.

Neat four room cottage and first class lot in the heart of town. Will be sold at a bargain.

The finest corner on North Tejon street, 200x190, $6,000, or will divide it.

Six lots on Pike's Peak avenue between Tejon and Nevada.

Lot on best part of North Nevada avenue, 75x190. Cheap at $2,000.

Elegant house of 10 rooms; hot and cold water, bath room and all conveniences, large porches, splendid lawn, trees and shrubbery, stone cellar, first-class stable; lot 75x190, on best part of Weber street. Will sell furniture with house if desired.

A first class property only two blocks from new post office. Lot 50x190 feet, with house (partly new) size 26x80 feet containing 12 rooms, ceilings 10 feet high throughout. Also a wash room, cow house, hen house, etc. The house is partly furnished, and will be sold with furniture at the very low figure of $4,000. In this is included a good milch cow and fifty chickens.

Fine two story house of seven rooms and three closets; nice shade trees, porch in front, city water stable for three horses. House and stable were built during the past summer. Lot 50x190 feet. A bargain at $3,000, of which amount $1,500 may stand for one year at 10 per cent.

A splendid corner 100x190 feet on N. Weber street, on which are erected three lovely cottages renting for $77 per month. City water and gas pipes in cottages; open grate fire places in parlors; nice lawns and stables. This property is a bargain at $6,600.

Nice cottage of 5 rooms on lot 50x200 feet on Pike's Peak avenue; cellar, lawn, neat fence and stable; water in house; only $2,500.

Several nice lots in the neighborhood of the new postoffice site.

House of 4 rooms; lot 50x190; lawn, trees, stable. Good location. A bargain at $800.

House of 5 rooms; city water. Lot 50x190. First class location. Only $1050.

House of 6 rooms, stable for ten horses, lot 50x190 all in grass, located on Nevada avenue close to business centre of city. A bargain at $4,000.

Several splendid corners on North Cascade, Tejon, Nevada and Weber streets.

House of 5 rooms, pantry, cellar, porch, stone foundation, well, 3 acres of ground, east of city. $1,200.

House of 7 rooms, porch, city water, lot 80 x100, Huerfano, near Weber, $2,600.

FOR RENT.

House and 20 acres of garden land, under ditch and in the city limits. Will rent cheap to right parties.

House of 5 rooms, city water, with stable for 4 horses, in heart of city; $20 per mo. to April 1st.

Lovely furnished house of 5 rooms on best part of Nevada avenue; $50 per month.

Store building on Tejon st., 12½x55 feet; only $25 per month.

Unfurnished house of 8 rooms; only $25 per month.

Neat four room cottage, corner Bijou and Weber sts.

Beautifully located furnished house of 12 rooms. Only $60 per month for the winter.

House of 4 rooms. Good location. $16 per month.

Large brick building in center of city, containing 10 rooms, large cellar, water on both floors. Suitable for private residence, boarding house or place of business.

I have for rent on reasonable terms several offices in the Oriel block, next to the postoffice. These offices are finished off very beautifully, are light and cool, and are furnished with gas and running water. For many purposes the location is the best in the city.

Neat cottage of 3 rooms. Desirable location, on corner lot. Only $7 per month.

Large brick house of 7 large rooms and bath room; lot 100x190 feet, facing east. Good location. $25 per month.

Fine store building on Pike's Peak avenue between Tejon and Nevada ave.

Unfurnished house of 6 rooms on Nevada ave. Splendid location.

Offices in the new Strettell block, elegantly finished and furnished with all modern conveniences.

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One lot Brocade Silks ..... $1.00 per yard, worth $2.00

To those who have dealt with us and know us, it is needless to say that we always state in our advertisements only the Exact Truth. Within the limits of an ordinary advertisement it is impossible to mention a tenth of the attractive articles and inducements that we are able to offer purchasers, but we would say that not only in Holiday Articles and Fancy Goods is our stock very full and attractive, but that our general stock of Dry Goods, etc., is unusually large and full and that we will endeavor to make it to the advantage of every purchaser to buy of us if they will favor us with a call and inspection of our stock, which we earnestly and respectfully solicit.

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These goods are bringing fully 50 per cent. below what they are selling for in New York.

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